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This letter is in response to the Notice under 37 CFR 1.251 mailed January 13, 2004.

The original application has been found.

The Notice mailed January 13, 2004 is rescinded.

The Office regrets any inconvenience the delay may have cause your Office.

You can direct any inquiry regarding this letter to Margaret Stevens on 571-272-0553 or my e-mail address. Margaret.Stevens@USPTO.Gov

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